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-after which is claimed and for which patent is sought on the invention entitled:

"Synthetic peptides useful in biological essays for detecting infections caused by
group O HIV-viruses"

which is described and claimed in:
X the attached specification
PCT International Application No.
the specification in Application Serial No.
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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-described specifications, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.
acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56
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Priority Claimed
X Yes - No
X Yes - No
- Yes - No

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is
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